

ABSTRACT

When contents which are an animation are downloaded (S101), a contents reproduction terminal identifies whether or not each object, such as a figure (polygon), an image or text, which is included in the contents is a 3-D (stereoscopic) object that includes deepness information on the depth of the object (S103). Thus, it is determined from the results of the identification of these whether or not these contents are an animation that can be reproduced in a 3-D reproduction mode on the basis of a condition for the reproduction mode of the contents of each reproduction apparatus (S105), and a flag that indicates this reproduction mode is set and stored in this reproduction apparatus (S107, 111). Furthermore, the stored contents are displayed by means of an icon that indicates this reproduction mode (S109, 113).